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In re Application of:

Shinji KOBAYASHI

Application No.: 09/955,236

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**For: PORTABLE INFORMATION DEVICE,
ACCESS DEVICE FOR PORTABLE
INFORMATION DEVICE, HOME
NETWORK SYSTEM, AND HOME
NETWORK ACCESS**

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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is being filed along with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and fulfills the requirement for a submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. In reply to the Final Office Action mailed September 6, 2005, the period for response extending through December 6, 2005, Applicant proposes that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper beginning on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper beginning on page 8.